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PINKERTON MEN.

Hundreds Called Into the Coke Region.

WORK TO BE RESUMED AT ONCE.

The Strikers Exasperated and a Feeling of Uneasiness Noticeable—A Number of Works Already Running—Miners Entitled to Take the Strikers' Places.

SCOTTDALE, Pa., April 21.—By tomorrow morning 500 Pinkerton detectives will have arrived in the coke region. They are to be stationed on guard duty principally at Frick's works. The strikers are exasperated, and a feeling of uneasiness is very noticeable. All is quiet now, however, save at a few strikers' meetings, there is a great deal of shouting and cheering. At these meetings the strike leaders are making strong speeches against the introduction of "Pinkerton things" as they call them.

Each plant, where work is being done, will hereafter be guarded by a heavy force, and positively no interference with the workmen permitted.

The executive board of United Mine Workers met here yesterday evening and reviewed the situation. Their decision was unanimously in favor of a continuation of the struggle. An effort will be made to secure more money. Quite a sum of money was received and distributed among the needy families yesterday.

The Frick company claim to have more men working at all of their plants. Out of the 394 ovens at Jintown and Sterling, all but six are fired, and more workmen are at hand than are required to run the plants. McClure & Company's force is also largely increased.

Fourteen families were evicted at Morewood yesterday afternoon. The serving of eviction notices continues.

All is reported quiet at Leisering No. 2, where 150 Pinkerton men are on guard. There were no evictions in this vicinity yesterday.

Here most will not make a personal tour of the coke regions. Alexander Jones and August Delafield, two other Socialist agitators, will hold a series of mass-meetings throughout the region, beginning to-morrow. The Socialist societies of the district have a membership of 1,000, and are active participants in the present strike.

The sheriff, with a large force of deputies, is now en route to Trotter works, where twenty evictions are to be made.

It is reported that a large mob of strikers is congregated at Leisering, and are armed for a desperate conflict when evictions are attempted.

The labor leaders have just received information that the Frick Coke company have engaged the services of 500 experienced miners from the Pennsylvania coal fields with the intention of putting them to work at once in their various coal mines, now guarded by the Pinkerton men. It is also stated that the secessionists are coming with the full understanding that they are to assist in breaking the strike.

The Decisive Battle Approaching.

UNIONTOWN, Pa., April 22.—Sheriff McCormick denies that the several car loads of new men landed in the coke region yesterday are Pinkerton men. He admits that part of them will do guard duty, and he swore them in for that purpose at West Leisering yesterday afternoon.

The rest, he says, will go to work in the places of the striking miners and will be joined soon by several car loads of other men from the anthracite regions. It is now thought that the test battle of the strike will be fought at West Leisering, and the serving of the thirty-two injunctions yesterday restraining the leaders from interfering with the running of the works was preparatory to this battle, which opens in earnest to-morrow.

Critical State of Affairs at Morewood.

MOUNT PLEASANT, Pa., April 22.—During the evictions at Morewood yesterday afternoon many exciting scenes occurred. At the house of Martin Wergenek's wife, a mob of 300 persons on the outside had to be dispersed by the militia.

Atirs at Morewood are somewhat critical at this hour. Early last evening crowds of strikers broke in the windows of the houses from which the people were evicted and began dancing. The dance will likely end with a fight.

The evictions of the Morewood tenants will take place this afternoon. Sheriff Clawson will be accompanied by forty-five deputies and expects trouble. Eighty men are working today.

Pinkerton for the Coke Regions.

PITTSBURG, April 22.—A squad of one hundred Pinkerton detectives arrived in this city early yesterday morning from Tyrone, Pa. The men were originally from Chicago and other west-mern cities. After croaking at the Union station, they boarded a train on the Southwestern Pennsylvania railroad, which is the direct route to the coke region. They had with them twenty cases of Winchester rifles. Each case contained sixteen 44-caliber guns. It is learned that these men have been sent into the coke region by operators who are not satisfied because of Governor Patterson's decision to keep more of the National Guard on duty in the coke region.

No Use for the Militia.

UNIONTOWN, Pa., April 22.—The striker leaders yesterday telegraphed Governor Patterson that they did not want the militia sent in to the coke region, that they are not needed, that sheriffs can secure all the deputies necessary if they will only pay for them. They extend an invitation to the governor of the coke region. The telegram was signed by all of the coke leaders, labor leaders, and endorsed by G. T. B. Smith, the well-known Democratic politician.

FUNERAL OF BISHOP GILMOUR.
His Body Placed in a Crypt in the Cleveland Cathedral.

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Both Doing Honors to President Harrison.

HIS WELCOME AT EL PASO, TEX.

Mexican Officers With Military Band Take Part in the Parade—Brief Addresses, a Reception, and Return to the Train—His Reception in New Mexico.

EL PASO, Tex., April 22.—Mexico joined the United States yesterday in doing honor to President Harrison. The presidential party arrived in this city at 10 o'clock. The welcome of the president was very enthusiastic, the city being crowded with people, many of them Mexicans.

Gen. McCook, of United States army, and prominent citizens met the president at the train. A detachment of the Fifth infantry and band, a number of Mexican officers with a military band and local organizations formed a procession to the court house, where speaking took place. At many of the street corners were banners in Spanish and English bearing the words "Reciprocity with Mexico." Gen. A. J. Malloy made the address of welcome at the court house. Governor Carillo also spoke on behalf of President Diaz, several others made speeches welcoming the president to the Lone Star state. The president made a brief response and was heartily applauded. The presidential party left for Los Angeles at noon, central time, or 10 o'clock Pacific time.

Mrs. Harrison and a number of ladies of the party visited Juarez on the Mexican side of the river, where a salute was fired by Mexican artillery. A salute was also fired on the American side.

In New Mexico.

DEMING, N. M., April 22.—Just after leaving El Paso, the presidential train crossed from Texas to New Mexico, and Governor Prince, of that territory, who was on the train, made an address of welcome to the president, to which the latter briefly responded. A delegation from Deming, accompanied the party from El Paso. At Deming, where the train halted a few minutes, a salute was fired by a detachment of the Tenth colored cavalry. A large crowd cheered the president who made a short speech after being introduced by Professor Hayes. The train left Deming at 1 p. m. for Los Angeles.

ACCIDENT IN A STEEL WORKS.

A Boy Roasted to Death, and Several Men Fatally Burned.

BRADDOCK, Pa., April 22.—Yesterday afternoon a frightful explosion of gas occurred in the "Bottom house" in the rear of the converting department at the Edgar Thompson steel works. One of the workmen opened an oven door, when a huge volume of gas shot out, and bursting into flame, enveloped John Soles, Thomas Raunrauf, David Hoon, Otto Onedrauke, burning them very seriously. They may possibly recover. Two boys, William Fordsworth and August Anderson, aged about 16, were also severely burned.

At the conclusion of the sermon, the casket containing the remains was raised aloft by ten pallbearers and borne out between two lines of priests with uncovered heads. Passing around on Superior street to the rear of the cathedral, the bearers of the body entered the crypt beneath the edifice where the coffin was deposited in a sarcophagus carved out of a solid block of sandstone. After being sealed by a heavy marble slab, the funeral party dissolved and the remains of the bishop were left to their final repose.

BASE BALL.

Opening of the League Championship Race All Along the Line.

NEW YORK, April 22.—This is an important day in base ball circles in a number of cities, the opening of the League championship race all along the line. Never did a season open under more favorable auspices. With the greatest circuit and the greatest clubs in its history, the pioneer organization is well equipped for the fray. The scars of 1890 have disappeared sooner than the most sanguine of cranks expected.

In the east the boom is unmistakable. Exhibition games in this city with minor clubs have drawn greater crowds than the championship contests did during the period of strike and personal abuse. The game seems well on its way toward the old pedestal of popular favor from which it was torn by warring factions.

Governor Hill, who is an old townsmen of "Dannie" Richardson, and Mayor Grant have just received invitations to the game with Capt. Nash's Bostonians at the Polo grounds. There will be music by Cappa's band, and lots of bunting.

CAUSED BY WRECKERS.

Accident on the Cincinnati Southern Coming at Least Two Lives.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., April 22.—Information has reached here of a bad wreck on the Queen and Crescent system at Springville, Ala., which occurred about midnight last night.

Engineer John Cotter, brother of ex-Alderman Cotter, of Chattanooga, and Fireman Charles George, died this morning from their injuries. The engine was turned over. Mail Clerks James Barlow and D. Nicholson were injured. The baggage express and mail cars were demolished.

The wreck was caused by a broken rail or spikes drawn by train wreckers. Other casualties may result, as a number of passengers were injured. Details are meagre at this hour.

Labor Troubles in Chicago.

CHICAGO, April 22.—About seventy-five men who went to work in the Peter-Carridine company, were surrounded by about 200 strikers, who hoisted and jeered at them. McArthur Brothers made a complaint to Inspector Hunt, who summoned four patrol wagons. The inspector addressed the mob, advising those who wanted to go to work to remain. About one-hundred signed their willingness to return to work, and the remainder were compelled to leave the grounds.

Short Strike Ended.

Detroit, April 22.—The street car strike which began here yesterday morning was broken at noon and cars are running.

Gold Excitement in South Dakota.

PIERRE, S. Dak., April 22.—Great excitement was caused in Pierre, Sunday, by the report brought in that gold had been found in paying quantities along Sage Creek, in Pinedale county, 110 miles west of here. A large number of people will start at once for the gold fields. It has been known for some time that gold existed there, but it was not thought to be of a paying quantity.

Drank Carbolic Acid by Mistake.

CINCINNATI, April 22.—Mr. Howard, of 2435 Wabash avenue, last night took a bottle from a stand in the dark and by mistake drank carbolic acid. He died in terrible agony before medical attendants could reach him.

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REPUBLICAN MEETING.

First Day's Work of the National League of Republican Clubs.

CINCINNATI, April 22.—Yesterday at Music Hall a great crowd assembled long before noon the hour announced for the opening session of the National convention of Republican clubs. The dress circle and gallery were completely filled. The Cincinnati orchestra, stationed upon the stage, thundered forth patriotic melodies while the delegate hosts were assembling upon the great auditorium floor.

The stage was filled with men distinguished for deeds for party and country. Mayor Mosby made an address of welcome. He was followed by Governor Foraker, for the state. President W. L. Squire, of the Ohio Republican league, made by a fine speech of welcome on behalf of the state league. Prayer by the Rev. Howard Henderson, and then Professor Herman Belisted had the great mass of people cheering over his cornet solo. Hon. H. H. Powers, of Vermont, made reply for the league to the hospitable and enthusiastic speeches of welcome.

President Thurston's address followed. It was long, and the afternoon had well waned at its close, and after the appointing of committees on credentials, resolutions, adjournment of next meeting and league work, adjournment was had until to-day at noon.

The night meeting was a magnificent success. Music hall seats over 8,000 people and standing room was at a discount.

The balconies were almost completely filled with ladies, and coupled with the brilliancy of the decorations the costumes made up a remarkable display for a political mass meeting.

President Thurston created a sensation when he introduced Hon. William McKinley as the next governor of Ohio, and one of the future presidents of the United States.

Mr. McKinley began easily and quietly to draw a comparative and historical picture of the two great political parties.

He made a clear statement of the Republican party's position on public matters for many years, saying that it was well to remember the history, because it was the only political party on earth which could look back on the past without regret and into the future without fear.

The major concluded with a defense of the party, saying that its mission would never be ended until the American ballot was as sacred as the American home.

Speeches were then made by several other visitors and delegates and music on the great organ and by an orchestra accompanied with all the speeches.

The next meeting of the National League of Republican clubs will be held the first Tuesday of April, 1892, in Indianapolis.

For Collecting the Direct Tax.

CINCINNATI, April 22.—Attorney General Watson submitted to the governor an opinion relative to the compensation of the state agent for the collection of the direct tax. He decides that Col. Tolford is entitled to 5 per cent. on all over that amount, and that the direct tax is clearly within the definition of a "war claim" and as such comes within Tolford's contract. He further finds that Mr. Kiesewetter is entitled to no compensation unless the legislature shall deem it proper and just to make a specific appropriation for that purpose.

New Incorporations.

CINCINNATI, April 22.—Articles of incorporation were filed in the office of the secretary of state yesterday as follows: The Ober Lahti company, Cincinnati Falls, capital stock \$15,000; the Dophin Manufacturing company, Dophin, \$2,000; the Broadway club, Cincinnati; the Athens Council, No. 15, Royal and Select Masters; Athens; the Athens Chapter, No. 39, Royal Arch Masons; Athens; the Athens Commandery, No. 15, Knights Templar of Athens, O.; the Second Presbyterian church, Findlay; the Hamilton Mutual Insurance association, Cincinnati.

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Freel Jackson, a negro, with a hatchet, cut thirteen holes in his head, fracturing the skull, and died within an hour.

Adolph Schenckler shot himself in the head, cut his throat from ear to ear with a razor and threw himself into the river, where he was found dead. Both men were unmarried and without known relatives.

Epidemic of La Grippe and Measles.

CHARLOTTSTVILLE, Va., April 22.—William Musco, alias William F. Jordan, who murdered Policeman George L. Seal in this city, was hanged in the city jail yard at 9 o'clock yesterday morning. He made a full confession of the crime in his cell a few minutes before execution. He said he bore no hard feelings toward anyone. He was very calm and smoked and asked for a chew of tobacco while making his statement.

Legal Execution.

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CHARLOTTSTVILLE, Va., April 22.—La grippe and measles are epidemic in this city. The public schools are almost depopulated in the primary grades. One room yesterday, but six were present out of an enrollment of forty-four. Another nineteen out of forty-eight; another twelve out of fifty-five. In two ward schools 100 were absent out of an enrollment of 182.

Attempted Wife Murder.

ZENITHVILLE, O., April 22.—Ed. Green, a traveling salesman well known over Ohio, now connected with the Columbus hat house, carved his wife shortly before noon yesterday, at his home there, in a fit of jealous rage. Her recovery is believed to be impossible. Green immediately skipped out and so far has eluded the officers.

Won't Live Without Her Lover.

MONT VERNON, O., April 22.—Doris Ann Clements, of Bangs, aged 17 years, attempted suicide Monday morning by taking a large dose of iodine, and will probably die. Her parents objected to her lover, and Sunday night turned him out of the house. She says if she recovers she will again take poison.

Work on the Big Canal.

BRAZIL, Ind., April 22.—Robert Thompson, a miner, was killed yesterday in Watson's shaft, two miles south of town, by a stone weighing 400 pounds falling on him. He was aged 35, and had a family. Two of his brothers were killed in the Coll mine in Arkansas about one year ago.

Keys Acquitted.

BELINGHAM, Ky., April 22.—The closing argument in the trial of Keys, for the murder of Fox, was made yesterday, and the judge charged the jury shortly after noon. The jury took the case at 1:15 and at 4 o'clock returned a verdict of acquittal.

FOR RENT—April 1st, two fine rooms fronting on Main street above Pepple's store, and several rooms in new modern block fronting on Center and East streets. Inquire at Pepple's store.

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FOR RENT—House of seven rooms, newly papered, with all conveniences, situated on south East street. Inquire of Mrs. E. S. Bill, 292 south East street. 79-11

FOR RENT—A dwelling house on Grand avenue. Price 26 per month. Inquire of J. H. Thomas, at C. Able Buggy Co., 111-13.

FOR RENT—One four room house at \$9, and five room house at \$11, at 135 and 137 south East street. G. S. McCuthe, Agent. Office over Marion Co. Bank. 125-13.

FOR RENT—Dwelling on north East street, with all conveniences. Inquire of James Malloy.

FOR RENT—Three roomsover H. Ackerman's music store; \$6 per month. Call at music store. 109-11.

FOR RENT OR SALE—House and lot on west Center street, opposite Marion Mfg Co. Apply to George McLean.

FOR RENT—A good dwelling house on north East street. A good well and fenced eastern; possession given May 1st. Inquire of J. Streitz & Son. 690-11.

FOR SALE—Bicycle, 65 inch Columbia light roadster, ball bearings, nickel and enamel finish. O. L. Cozad at Marion Mfg Co. 114-15.

ROOMS FOR RENT—Inquire of Mrs. M. M. Scherf, at the Marion Pharmacy, first door west of STAR Office. 120-11.

About forty witnesses in the Makley murder trial arrived from Dayton this morning.

Joseph Dowling, state oil inspector, is attending the Makley murder trial as a witness.

John Kearse, of LaRue, and known to many people here, died at his home near that place Tuesday, at the age of over 80 years. The funeral occurred today.

Dr. Mincer, who's now at home at his Silver street residence, will fit your eyes with glasses in the most scientific manner, making a fit the first time. Eyes are not weakened by lung tests. If you need glasses give him a trial.

The pastor of the Free Baptist church has so far recovered from his recent illness that he hopes to be at the church prayer meeting Thursday evening, April 23. The subject of the prayer meeting tomorrow evening will be: The Christian's Rest, and the Possibility of Failures to Enter into It. Heb. 4th chapter.

A STRANGE PROCEEDING.

Henry D. Pooch, Agent of the Big Four, Unexpectedly Leaves the City—No Plausible Reason Apparent as Yet.

The announcement Tuesday evening that Henry D. Pooch, passenger and freight agent of the Big Four railroad at this place, had mysteriously left the city, caused a great deal of comment. The fact that he has been absent since Saturday morning, and no one has any knowledge of his whereabouts is about the only definite information at hand.

Mr. Pooch left the city Saturday morning ostensibly to visit his relatives at Greenville, Ohio, but it is known that he did not reach that place, and was seen to go north over the C. H. V. and T. road. At the Big Four office he left word with some of the clerks that he would return Monday, but so far nothing has been heard from him. Tuesday Mr. Bowen, clerk at the office, became suspicious of the man's return, and telephoned headquarters to come and take charge of the affairs. In response traveling auditors James W. Hewitt and E. C. Scarf came on from Indianapolis Tuesday evening, and at once began checking up the business of the office, which is being continued today.

There has been rumors of a shortage in the accounts of the missing man, but so far there is no verification in the examination made. There is a disposition to believe the books will be found straight, and his many friends do not think that Mr. Pooch would do a dishonest act intentionally. This state of affairs makes his departure appear more strange and add to the suggestion that he must have been laboring under some temporary delusion or torment too much for a nervous temperament. The facts, however, may develop with further investigation, and if found an effort will be made to induce him to return.

The office has been transferred temporarily to A. C. Bowen, who is now in charge of the business. Mr. Pooch was an excellent man for the place, generally liked, and his relations with the company were attested by the promotions given him while in their employ. It is to be hoped that whatever mystery surrounds his recent action may be satisfactorily made known.

Since the above was written the pleasing belief was expressed by the examiners of the Big Four agency that not a particle of shortage was to be found. And, as near as can be learned, Mr. Pooch is now in charge of a brother and suffering a temporary dementia from the effects of grip.

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NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE

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THE ANCIENT CITY.

COL. CHRISTIAN WRITES OF ST. AUGUSTINE AND ITS WONDERS.

The old Fort, the Plaza, the Hotels and the Various Attractions Described. With Details of the Ponce de Leon. A Farewell to Florida.

ST. AUGUSTINE, FLA., April 13.—Near thirty-five years since a Marquette began to visit St. Augustine for his health, and passed several winters, including the one preceding the war. The late Franklin Reed, of whom I speak, was the pioneer in this region, of probably central Ohio. Both Mr. and Mrs. Reed were delighted with their stay in the then quaint, sleepy, old town, half Spanish, half Cracker, and they never tired of praising its quiet beauty of surroundings, both sea and land. The half tropical verdure about the old homes, the ancient orange trees, the river-like lagoon and the sea possessed to them a never ending charm. I presume that there still may be found among the treasures of the Fisher family the collection of Florida objects made personally by Mr. Reed. He fired my boyish heart with a strong desire some day to see St. Augustine, with its associations of Spanish Don and Senorita, of Indian brave and maiden, for here the folk-lore is all of love and war. And, well, here I am sitting me down where three centuries have come and gone since St. Augustine had its being. It is William Cullen Bryant who says in "Poems of Places" of St. Augustine.

In realms of flowers, a perfumed land,

Girl by the sea, soft and dimpled;

It is a land of green and gold,

Stands the quaint old Spanish city.

Here it is, old city gate, fort with

moat and draw bridge, house without

front door, and streets that an alley

would blust for, and yet for all that I am somewhat disappointed. Because

the northman with his gobs of money

has broke loose here, and before money

bags all things become modern, and

down goes the old, the solid, and the

sleepy and the quaint, and up comes

the varnish and glitter, and St. Augustin

becomes modern Gotham and

Vanity Fair. But after all it's nice, these

fine things that the railway kings, and

the trusts that we farmers are going to

bust, call around them, provided always

they let us all enjoy the fun with them.

At St. Augustine it can be said that

while it is often stated "a rich man's

winter paradise for rich men only,"

they let all in to see the show without

money or price. If you adopt the

Frenchman's motto, "Admire but never

buy," you can have, if your heart don't

eat you out with envy, "a dang good

time" in this city of saints, and, I fear

me, winter sinners. Fifty thousand

people tramped into this town by the

Southern sun between January 1st and

April 1st, and most of the lot had

wealth. Millionaires were thicker here

than fleas on Florida coon's dog, and

that is an object that is enlivened by a tolerably numerous population, if you

did but know it. Something drew this

crowd of nabobs, of statesmen, of cabinet

officials, foreign members of parliament

and noblemen and in fact the great

of many lands to this grand central

point in the winter life of Florida, and

that something it shall be my province

to attempt to describe. I fear I have

undertaken a subject of extreme

difficulty, interpretation, but pshaw!

Why apologize, gentle reader. I will do

the best I can.

Florida came to be the property of

Spain by discovery, and on the 5th of

September, 1565, a good long while ago,

Pedro Menendez de Aviles took posse

sion of the present site of Augustine

and named the proposed town after

Saint Augustine. The Indians called

the place Seloy, from porpoise which

were very numerous and are so at this

day. The Spaniards called the harbor

also the "River of Dolphins." Thus be

gan the town. The site is a narrow

strip of a mile between the Saint Se

bastian river, a tidal stream to the

west, about one hundred yards in width

with marshy banks. On the east front

is a salt water lagoon, a quarter of a

mile in width, called Matanzas river.

The lagoon runs north and south along

the city front, and in front of the north

central portion opens outward into the

ocean by an inlet of large dimensions.

At the south end of the lagoon, some

fifteen miles below the city, is another

inlet. Between the two inlets and

separating the river from the ocean, is

Anastasia island.

This island with its high dunes and

heavy vegetation, completely protects

the river from the sea and from too

severe winds. One can at a glance note

the pleasing physical characteristics

of this location. St. Augustine at once

became Florida and Florida St. Augus

tine during the entire period of Spanish

control, and, for that matter English

also, and down until we assumed pro

prietorship. The old town became a

sleepy entrepot for the old Spain, and

the missions of the Catholic church be

came early their work among the Indians

from the effects of grip.

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never extremely warm, and seldom disturbed by frost, with but little rain. There was a good deal of racket kicked up by one crowd and another, Indians, Buccaneers, French, English, etc., and so at an early time the town was fortified, growing in importance as a garrison point, until from block house to log fort, and after a full fledged fortress was erected in 1733—Fort San Marco, today called Fort Marion, a mistake I think this change of name, for the fort is Spanish, not American.

This fort stands today, as stated, at the north end of the old city upon the water front. It is built of coquina rock, a shell conglomerate quarried on Anastasia Island. It is the most complete and perfect specimen of old, last century military architecture on this continent; gray with age, it is still in almost perfect preservation. The fort was built from plans of Vauban, the famous French engineer, and in every way exhibits his peculiar style. The enclosure is 107 feet; the walls are twelve feet thick and the casements or bombproofs add eighteen feet more, in all thirty feet of structure. The walls stand twenty-five feet from the bottom of the ditch; a ditch, the moat, thirty feet wide surrounding the structure. The entrance was effected by a drawbridge (now a bridge) and both were well defended by an outer-work conforming to the main plan. The battery was arranged for one hundred guns, including a water battery to the east, and the garrison was one thousand men. The fort has never been taken, although in this day a modern gun would knock it out in short order. There are, of course, dungeons and many legends, but the best authorities agree that in the old days the fort was not the scene of many stirring events, except Indian, French and Buccaneer alarms. Below here a number of French Huguenots were put to death, and there were executions of pirates, Indians and heretics as occasion demanded. The arms of Spain still intact over the salley port, in Spanish, a statement of the building of the fort, the engineer being Captain Don Pedro de Brossas de Garey. All in all Fort Marion is the chief antique of Augustine. Osceola and Coacoochee, chiefs of the Seminoles, were confined in one of the casements, and the aperture nine inches wide, through which the latter made his escape, is shown. By the free use of cathartics the shrewd redskin slimmed down his fighting weight so that he slid through.

The old guns of the fort, dismounted, are lying about, cumbrous relics of the war past, while out upon the glacis is a more modern one hundred pounder used as the perch of playful children.

Just west of Fort Marion, and at the head of St. George street, there stands the old city gate and a portion of the wall. This wall extended from river to river, and the gateway is quite imposing as a relic. A mile down the river, fronting the shore, is located the United States military barracks, being a complete post, with all the varied quarters Uncle Sam provides for his boys when located permanently. The garrison is now only a single company of artillery, but the flag rises at sun-up and lowers at the going down, with the salute of a gun, and the bugle call incident thereto, and thereupon all Augustine is glad because the presence of Uncle Sam here means "the dread panoply of war" reduced to appropriations and things.

Extending along the water front, from Fort Marion to the U. S. barracks, the distance being a mile, is a sea wall of coquina rock, ten feet above low water; the coping is of granite three feet wide, affording one of the most delightful of promenades, and the "fad" of Augustine is glad because the presence of Uncle Sam here means "the dread

panoply of war" reduced to appropriations and things. The architecture of these hotels is Spanish to exactness in every line and they are built wholly of concrete formed from coquina or shells and cement, giving their exteriors a massive appearance entirely foreign to that of any other resort hotels in the country. There are colonnades and courts, the latter so arranged as to duplicate the fronts and make all front. The architects and artists of the Ponce de Leon consumed two years in preparing the details of the plans for the building. The front on the Alameda is 380 feet, depth 520 feet. The inclosed court is 150 feet square, the towers rise 105 feet; the buildings cover 14 acres for this single hotel and there are 450 rooms. Historic decorations, heraldic designs, arcades and galleries, with arches everywhere, make up the peculiar beauty of the architecture. The promenade through the arcades is a mile in extent, upon floors of mosaic and under low arches of heavy but graceful masonry. To enter the building is like a poem in itself. You pass a raised portcullis of a gateway through a portico and enter the fountain court, 150 feet square. This court before you is massed with foliage, and the plants are the tribute of many lands, strange to us. Directly in the center a large fountain spouts numerous crystal streams into a pool inhabited with strangely marked gold fish. Flowering vines cling to the arches and twine upwards to the red roof. Crossing the court, a broad stairway of marble by easy flight leads to the main entrance. The office is a four story rotunda, the galleries are supported by pillars of oak; the wainscoting is quartered oak and Numidian marble;

Strictly the Price

Straw Hats.

MY line of Straw Hats this year I do not claim to be the largest in Marion—I might make a mistake, but you can judge for yourself. I have received only twenty-six cases of Straw Hats. These contained something like 350 Straw Hats and only 18 different styles. You can see every style if you wish. No doubt every store has a large assortment. Price range as follows:

Everyday Straw Hats, 5c, 10c, 15c, 20c and 25c.

Men's Fine Hats in Black and White, 25c, 40c and 50c.

Men's Fine Mackinaw Hats, 10c, 15c and 20c.

Men's Extra Fine Hats, 25c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$1.75.

Also a new straw—the Spider Web—in Black or White, for \$2. This is the finest, lightest and coolest Straw Hat you ever saw. Come and see them.

Also a full line of Manillas, etc.

Children's Fine Sunday Hats, 10c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c, 50c, 60c, 70c and \$1.00.

Tailor-made Clothing, &c.

I WISH to call your attention to my extra large line of fine Tailor-made Clothing. These suits are made up, from the very best of material only, and every garment is guaranteed to be a perfect fit in every respect. Prices range from \$12.00 a suit to \$25.00.

Everyday Suits from \$1.75 up.

A full line of Working Pants from 50c up.

Also a full line of the very finest Pants custom made from \$2.50 up to \$7.50.

Undershirts and Socks.

MEN'S UNDERSHIRTS, 15c or two for 25c. How's that? MEN'S Undershirts, 25c.

Extra Fine Undershirts, 35c.

Also a full line of the better grades, Summer Socks, Seamless, ten pairs for 25c.

Shirts.

HAVE just received another large lot of those \$1.00 Jersey shirts for 50c—that yellow pattern that everybody was stuck on. If you want a couple of them you had better call at once, as they sell very rapidly.

A Laundry Bereale Shirt with two Linen Collars, 50c.

Also a Fine Black Jersey for \$1 worth at least \$1.50.

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The feature of this sale will be

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Turkey Red table linen, perfectly fast, 15c per yard; fancy Turkey Red table linen, perfectly fast, 20c per yard; the very best Turkey Red table linen, perfectly fast, 32 1/2c per yard. Good bleached linen at 35c per yard. Very heavy bleached table linens for 40c per yard.

We will sell choice of our bleached linens that formerly sold at \$1.25, \$1.10, 80c and 60c for 70c per yard. This assortment is large. Good housekeepers should supply themselves with this quality.

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75c unbleached muslins will be sold for 50c per yard.

25c towels for 12 1/2c.

Special prices on napkins, doilies, stamped linen and all linen goods will be sold at prices such as will startle the oldest inhabitant and put money in the pocket of every lady who takes advantage of it.

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